GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6191
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RELAXATION BY CBSE IN LAND REQUIREMENT RULES OF SCHOOLS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether in view of the land scarcity in the National Capital Territory of Delhi, land-requirement rules for affiliation of Secondary and Senior Secondary Schools have, lately, been relaxed and whittled down by the Central Board of Secondary Education;

(b) if so, the details in this regard;

(c) whether land requirement for schools situated in the National Capital Region and areas around Delhi have also been reduced for affiliation purposes, especially with a view to decongest the capital and to minimise the rush of students commuting between Delhi and the areas around;

(d) if so, the details of the relaxation; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. RITA VERMA)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): As per the amendment incorporated in the Affiliation Bye-laws of the Central Board of Secondary Education(CBSE) w.e.f. 18.1.2001, the schools located in NCTof Delhi seeking affiliation with the CBSE should possessthe land having area not less than the following:

i) Senior Secondary School Teaching in all the 4 streams	4000 sq. mts.
ii) Senior Secondary School Teaching in maximum two Streams	3000 sq. mts.
iii) Secondary School	2000 sq. mts.

(c) to (e): The Affiliation Committee of the CBSEhave very recently recommended the proposal regarding relaxation in the Rules relating to requirement of land for the schools located in some adjoining cities around Delhi. However, appropriate decision on this issue has not so far been taken by the competent authority of the Board.